

GOVERNORS OF 16 STATES INDORSE DISARMING PLAN

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New York, July 15.—Governors of 16 states representing more than 20 million persons today indorsed President Harding's disarmament conference.

In messages to the United Press these delegates declared for armament limiting on the following grounds:

- Prevention of wars.
- Relief from taxation burdens.
- Improvement of the general world economic situation.

Governor Percival D. Baxter of Maine summed up the general attitude of his colleagues when he declared that "the nations of the world must disarm or go into moral and financial bankruptcy."

To this, Governor D. W. Davis of Idaho added that "we cannot talk of achieving peace with knives in our hands."

The governors, 11 Republicans and five Democrats, were those of Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Iowa, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Montana, North Dakota, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Utah and West Virginia.

REPRESENTS 20,551,178

The combined population of these states is 20,551,178.

"The nations must disarm or go into moral and financial bankruptcy," declared Baxter, Republican.

Davis, Republican, characterized the conference "as a great step toward peace," adding:

"The President Harding has been given a wonderful opportunity. The world is tired of war. If we can reduce armaments it will be a greater achievement toward universal peace than any other incident in history."

Statements of governors included:

- Ben W. Olcott, Republican, Oregon: "Aside from humanitarian features, disarmament is the greatest economic need in the world today. It will do more to wipe out poverty and suffering than all other moves combined."

ALL IOWA APPROVES

N. E. Kendall, Republican, Iowa: "All of Iowa is in earnest support of the president in the movement he has initiated for world disarmament."

Joseph M. Dixon, Republican, Montana: "I believe public opinion throughout the nation will be overwhelmingly in support of this movement for disarmament. The fact that 90 per cent of the crushing load of national taxation is being spent in payment of past wars and preparation for future wars is leading to serious thinking."

Charles R. Mabey, Republican, Utah: "While I am of the opinion that the time is not yet here for successful universal disarmament, President Harding's proposed conference is a sensible step in the right direction."

INTOXICATION ALLEGED

Le Roy Crandall was arrested at Fifth and Morrison streets Thursday night by Motorcycle Patrolmen Forken and Case on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Clair Brown was arrested as a witness, but later released. Crandall was released on \$250 bail.



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Woodcraft Circle Resumes Business; Economy Is Slogan

Resumption of the regular order of business by the grand circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, began promptly this morning at the headquarters building, 725 Taylor street. Dr. W. D. Lockwood, grand physician, presiding over the committee of the whole. Evident determination to cut out unnecessary expenses and to combine a number of functions into one, was the trend.

Thursday the grand circle delegates and officers attended a salmon dinner given at Eagle creek on the Columbia, high way, over 500 people being present. An exhibition drill will be given this evening at the Pythian building. It is not expected that Mrs. C. C. Van Orsdal, grand guardian of the order, will be able to visit the grand circle, her condition, while improving, making it utterly impossible for her to leave her bed of sickness. The grand circle is sending flowers to her bedside every day.

An effort is being made to get to the election of officers Saturday morning, but a majority of the delegates want the committee on salaries to report first. This report may be debated on the floor and it is quite probable that the promotion and election of officers will not take place before Monday or Tuesday.

WAVERLEY CLUB POLO BARN BURNS

The empty polo barn at the Waverley club were burned to the ground early this morning, fire starting at 3 o'clock. The building is an old one, and the caretaker found himself in a helpless position against the flames. The property was entirely covered by insurance. Only tables and chairs belonging to the club were contained in the structure, no horses having been kept there since polo was discontinued at the club several years ago.

Glowing cigarette stubs thrown away by tramps are supposed to have started the fire. Captain Day, assistant fire marshal, estimated the loss at \$3000.

Tom Burke and Jack O'Malley, uninjured guests overnight at the polo stable, who were resting before continuing on their trip to San Francisco, were accused of throwing the cigarette which caused the fire. Captain Day saw the travelers pick up one of the glowing cigarettes from California and chased them in his automobile. They admitted they had been sleeping in the building, but because there was no evidence that they had thrown the cigarette they were released.

PROSECUTOR IGNORES AUTO PARTY PLANT

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Allen the warrant could not be served as the defendants never were located. Katz, however, that the sheriff of Wasco county has the names of at least one of the offenders, who is a Hood River youth.

COMPLAINS TO CONSUL

At time passed and no action was taken on the complaint Katz states that he wrote Sheriff Levi Christmas of Wasco county about the matter and received no acknowledgment.

Colonel Leader took up the matter by letter with District Attorney Galloway and states he received no reply. The apathy of the Wasco county authorities then was called to the attention of Governor Olcott. His office stated today that Galloway had not made answer to its request for his version of the affair.

Feeling that the incident should not be overlooked, Colonel Leader then reported the affair to John Trant, British vice consul in Portland, who, before placing the matter before the British embassy in Washington, has by letter called Galloway's attention to the fact that the lives of British subjects have been endangered within Galloway's jurisdiction and inquiring what the district attorney proposes to do about it.

DELAY CREATES ANGER

On behalf of Galloway it is pointed out that sorrow over the recent loss of a child and his absence from The Dalles on other matters may account for his do-nothing policy on the Katz complaint. Sheriff Christmas stated today that he had been awaiting word from Galloway to proceed, but in view of the criticism created by the affair, he proposed to apprehend the accused without further delay.

Katz and Colonel Leader are more indignant over the fact that the Wasco county authorities have shown no disposition to act in the matter than over the alleged shooting itself. And meanwhile Consul Trant would know what protection British subjects may expect.

One Person Killed, Hundreds of Cattle Die in Cloudburst

Lincoln, Neb., July 15.—(I. N. S.)—One life was lost and thousands of dollars damage resulted from a cloudburst which struck Andrew, Neb., late yesterday, according to word received here today. Hundreds of cattle were swept to death while growing crops were inundated.

Mr. John Andrews, 50, was killed when the flood carried away her home. Her body was found lodged in a tree a half mile from her home.

Escape From Oregon Penitentiary Caught

Salem, Or., July 15.—Robert Grant, who escaped from the Oregon penitentiary on March 17, 1920, was captured at Wenatchee, Wash., last night, and will be returned here immediately, officials at the prison said this morning.

Grant, who, with Jack Price, another convict, escaped while working in the prison garage, left in an automobile owned by Percy Varney, parole officer. Jack Price was apprehended some time ago in Minnesota, and was returned.

Sinn Feiners Are Given Sentences

Manchester, Eng., July 15.—(I. N. S.)—Sixteen Sinn Fein men, who had been convicted of treason and felonious offenses, today were sentenced from three to 15 years. A crowd in the courtroom made a demonstration in favor of the prisoners and the galleries were cleared.

SEWER LACKING, CONTAGION GROWS, DECLARES DOCTOR

Dr. W. D. Lockwood, 4504 Sixty-fifth street southeast, blamed the spread of diphtheria, scarlet fever, mumps and other contagious diseases in Southeast Portland during the past year to lack of sewers in that district, when he was called to the stand in Circuit Judge McCourt's court today in the case of G. W. Chilson against the city. Chilson is seeking an injunction against the Foster road sewer.

Dr. Lockwood said contagious diseases had increased during the year at an alarming rate. He quoted figures on diseases in the Hawthorne district before and after sewers were built, showing that before sewers were built more cases of sickness were reported.

Under cross examination, Dr. Lockwood testified as to the condition of roads in the district. He said fire engines and trucks would have great difficulty in getting through after a rain.

OBJECTS TO CITY PAVING

PLANT DOING OUTSIDE WORK

A protest filed with the Multnomah county commissioners Thursday by J. B. Lucas, a property owner of St. Johns, through his attorneys, Tom Mannix and Dan Powers, holds up the payment of \$2500 by the county to the city paving plant for work recently completed on Hawthorne bridge. Lucas attacks the right of the city to compete with private concerns in work for other municipalities. According to Commissioner Barber, the city paving plant completed the paving of Hawthorne bridge at a cost of \$118 per square yard to the county and the lowest bid submitted by a private concern for the same work was \$1.35 per square yard.

The protest was referred to District Attorney Walter Evans, who will render an opinion to the county commissioners. The interests of the city are being looked after by City Attorney Fred Grant.

CUPID GOES TO FATHER FOR LICENSE TO GET MARRIED

Joe Rogers, presiding clerk of the circuit court, had the thrill Thursday of issuing a marriage license to his son, Frank W. Rogers, special agent for the Southern Pacific, and Myrtle E. Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simon, 680 East Ankeny street, who will be married Saturday evening at 8:30 at the home of the bride's parents. The witness was Alle E. McLaughlin, also a deputy in the county clerk's office. After the marriage ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will go to Vancouver, B. C., for their honeymoon.

STATE BANK IS SUED OVER SHIPMENT OF AUTOMOBILES

A complaint was filed late Thursday afternoon by the Merchants National bank of Detroit through H. G. Flaatt, its attorney, against the State Bank of Portland, in which the Detroit bank makes the claim that the local bank was at fault in turning over the bills of lading for some automobiles valued at \$6550 to McCracken & Co., to whom they were sent on the basis of a sight draft in March, 1920.

The State bank claims it is understood that it was promised warehouse receipts as collateral by McCracken & Co., but that it was given receipts on cars of a later model than those it turned over the bills of lading for.

A. GRONE FINED \$50

"A. Grone, chiropractor," looked well on a card, but it wasn't the truth. Grone was fined \$50 in circuit court Thursday afternoon for posing as a chiropractor when he had no license. Grone, it appeared from the complaint, used chiropractic methods on a patient and the patient went to court about it. Grone's home is 443 East Harrison.

TEAKETTLE STILL FOUND

A cute little teakettle still was found at the home of Roy Louks, 1153 Berkeley way, when Deputy Sheriffs Beeman, Christoffersen and Schirmer raided the place this morning. Twenty-five gallons of mash and a quart of whiskey were located. Louks is a barber.

Jones, Poindexter Fill U. S. Jobs in Washington State

Washington, July 15.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Senators Jones and Poindexter have awarded the patronage for Washington, announcement covering the following places having been made:

Collector internal revenue, Burns Poe of Tacoma; collector of customs, Millard T. Hartson of Seattle; commissioner of immigration, Luther Weedon of Coupeville; surveyor general, Claire Hunt of Colville; prohibition director, Roy C. Lyle of Seattle; attorney western district, Thomas Ewell of Seattle; attorney eastern district, Frank R. Jeffrey of Kennewick; marshal, western district, Ed B. Benn of Aberdeen; marshal eastern district, Frank L. Kees of Walla Walla.

McNary Measure Is Favorably Reported

Washington, July 15.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL)—Assistant Secretary Ball of the department of agriculture has made a favorable report to the senate committee on the McNary bill to appropriate \$150,000 for the protection of timber on forest reserves, Indian lands, Oregon and California grant and public lands in Southern Oregon and California from ravages of the pine beetle.

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Veteran Released; No Evidence Found To Support Charge

Philip Burg, veteran of the A. E. F., who was charged by Francis Johnson of Gresham with attempted assault of his 4-year-old daughter Renona and who surrendered himself to Sheriff Hurlburt Thursday afternoon, was released following a trial at Gresham today because of lack of evidence.

All the principals in the case were present at the trial, which was held before Justice of the Peace Brown. After the justice decided that the evidence did not substantiate the charge Burg was ordered released. Deputy Sheriff Kendall had difficulty in keeping Johnson and Burg apart, the former threatening repeatedly to "get his man yet."

After reading newspaper accounts of the charge placed against him, Burg surrendered to the authorities.

Burg said he was playing with two children, one of them Johnson's daughter, when Johnson suddenly appeared and struck him in the eye. There had been some bad blood between the two, he said.

Burg said he tried to get away, but that the old man followed, insisting on fighting, until he finally picked up a skillet and hit him on the head.

The young veteran carried a badly swollen eye as proof of the truth of at least part of his story.

ELKS TO TAKE BOAT TRIP

Newport, Or., July 15.—Arrangements have been made for a boat to carry 40 members of the Elks to Marshfield on August 16 to attend the annual state convention.

About a desk there is as much drugger to be done as there is in washing dishes.

CANBY PAVEMENT BEGINS AT ONCE

Oregon City, July 15.—Pavement of the Canby-Aurora stretch of the Pacific highway is to start this week, according to Contractor Cummings, who hopes that the new pavement may be open by the time of the county and state fairs.

Paving will start at the Aurora end and be laid as far as the bridge over the Metalla. At that point the work will be stopped from the Aurora end and started from Canby to the bridge. The pavement will be of concrete and will cost \$108,000. Two crews will be used, in order that with a 16 hour day the work may be rushed to completion. Under favorable conditions, the contractor expects to lay 1000 feet a day. The stretch will complete the paved highway from Portland to Salem.

Work on the road between Willamette and West Linn, has been delayed somewhat by the lack of gravel, according to the report of Archer Bros. contractors, who told the council that as soon as they are furnished with the necessary gravel the work can be finished in a few weeks.

COOK FOUND DEAD

Roy Kimball, a cook, residing in apartments at 207½ Pine street, was found dead in his room today by Alexander Ray, manager of the apartments, who had missed the man for two days. Leo Goetsch, deputy coroner, said he thought the death was natural, although the body was lying face down and suffocation was possible. An autopsy will be held this evening.

Boy Drinks Gasoline; Pneumonia Develops

As the result of drinking gasoline, Richard Kimball, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Kimball of Park Drive, has developed pneumonia. It was announced this morning. Tuesday the lad entered his father's garage, and seeing a bottle with liquid in it, started to drink. The liquid was gasoline. Prompt action on the part of Dr. Atwood saved the boy's life, and while he is not yet out of danger, it is believed he will recover.

Prisoner Who Was Released Without Bail Skips Away

Confidence was broken when C. H. Thomas skipped after being released on his own recognizance by Federal Judge Bean, it was learned when the case came up this morning before Judge Wolvertson. Thomas was charged with mailing an offensive letter to a married woman.

The arrest was made about two months ago, but when it was disclosed two weeks ago that Thomas has a wife and two children dependent upon others for charity, Judge Bean decided to allow the prisoner his liberty providing that he report to his attorneys, Thomas Ryan and Thomas Carson, each day until the trial. He reported for the last time Wednesday, and when he did not appear Thursday, it was learned from neighbors that he and his family had moved during the night.

J. C. Vesich, assistant United States attorney, requested that \$2000 bail be fixed to hold Thomas when he is rearrested and that witnesses be ordered to report October 1.

Thomas has had no regular place of residence, but has been living in Portland and with relatives in Washington alternately for some time. His original home was in New York. He has been

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